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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Julie Bartholomew et al.
application No.: 10/716,317
Filed: 11/18/2003
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CUSTOM COSMETIC DISPENSER

Group No.: 3751

Examiner: Douglas, Steven O.

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is a Response and Amendment in response to the Notice of Non-Compliance mailed August 5, 2004 and a copy of the Amendment Transmittal as filed with the Response and Amendment of July 27, 2004.

STATUS

- Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

- The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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CLAIMS								
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA		RATE			ADDIT. FEE	
TOTAL	36	-	36	=	16	x \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00	
INDEP.	3	-	3	=	0	x \$ 86.00 =	\$ 0.00	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					\$ 0.00	=	\$ 0.00	
						TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0.00	

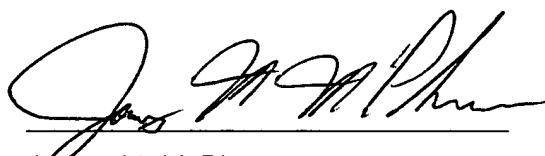
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FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 50-1097.

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks.